Price Funeral Chapel

Yvonne Marie Olson

(September 07, 1946 - April 18, 2020)

Langford, SD: Yvonne Olson, 73 of Langford, passed away Saturday, April 18, 2020 at her son's home in Aberdeen, under the care of



Hospice. Due to the current restrictions of the COVID-19 pandemic, a private family graveside service will be held on Thursday. A celebration of life will be planned later this year when restrictions are relaxed.

The Price Funeral Chapel of Britton is assisting the family with arrangements.

Yvonne Marie Hegge was born September 7, 1946 in Aberdeen, SD to Vernon and Joyce (Jones) Hegge. She graduated from Aberdeen Central High School in 1964. After completing her education, Yvonne went to work for the Northwestern Bell Telephone Company.

On January 12, 1974 she was united in marriage with James Odean Olson at Our Savior Lutheran Church in Aberdeen. They lived in Sioux Falls, Watertown and Aberdeen before settling on the farm near Langford in 1980. They were blessed with two children: Sarah born Jan. 4, 1975 and Dallas, born Sept. 6, 1976.

Yvonne had belonged to the Evangelical Lutheran Church of Langford for over 40 years. She taught Sunday School for over 30 years, was active in the Ladies Aide and AAL/Thrivent. Yvonne was an avid reader, and had served as librarian at the Langford Public Library for a number of years. In addition to her librarian duties, she led a book club, taught preschool

story time and organized the youth summer reading program.

Yvonne spent as much time as possible following "Grandma's Angels" — her grandchildren — Ryan, Nick, Lexi, Halle and Cam. She was a fixture at every basketball and football game, every volleyball match, track meet, band concert, grandparent's day, grand march and drag race in which her "Angels" were participating. Her only complaint was cold weather, and her only regret was not getting to see her angels get married.

Yvonne was known for her apple pie and brownies, her quick wit and competitive spirit. She could beat anyone in Jeopardy or Trivial Pursuit and played a mean game of cards!

Grateful for having shared her life are her husband of 46 years, James Olson of Langford; her children: Sarah (Aron) Nickelson of Lynd, MN; Dallas (Nicole) Olson of Aberdeen; SD; her five grandchildren; her siblings: Lavern Hegge, Jerry Hegge, Duane (Kristy) Hegge, all of Aberdeen; Carolyn (Tim) Sexton of Glade Spring, VA; and a number of nieces, nephews and their families.

Preceding her in death were her parents, a sister, Betty Howell and an infant brother.

Condolences may be directed to the family in care of James Olson – 12641 415th Ave. – Langford, SD. 57454.